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l observe and carry out in practice, the follow-principles:
That the suffrages of the American people political offices, should not be, given to any or than those born on our soil, and reared and ured under the influence of our institutions.
That no foreigner ought to be allowed to ex-se the elective franchise, till he shall have re-d within the United States a sufficient length me to enable him to become acquainted with principles and imbued with the spirit of our tutions, and until he shall have become tho-hly identified with the great interests of our atty.

WASHINGTON, D. C., FRIDAY AFTERNOON, MARCH 23, 1855.

complished, then such a modification of those laws, as will prevent future immigrants from

giance to the United States, and of abjuration of all other powers, potentates, and princes.

Second. We shall advocate the passage of a stringent law by Congress to prevent the immigration hither of foreigners, who are either paupers or criminals, and to send back to the countries from which they come, all such forsuch law, hereafter reach our ports; and to require the President of the United States to nd from any government, which may diate and ample satisfaction for such outrage, and a proper indemnity against the repetition

Third. We shall oppose the election or ap-continent of any foreign-born citizen to any office of trust, honor or emolument, under the ment or enlistment of such persons in the army or navy in time of war; maintaining, as we do the opinion, that the native-born citizens of the United States have the right to govern the land of their birth; and that all immigrants ment of life, liberty and property, under o institutions, without seeking to participate in the enaction, administration, or execution of

adoption of such an amended form of an oath to support the Constitution of the United States, and to be administered to all persons elected or appointed to any office of trust, honor, or emolument, under the Federal or State gov-

no one of the States of this Union has the right to a limit to the enjoyment of free suffrage any person of foreign birth, who has not been first made a citizen of the United States, according to the "uniform rule" of naturalization prescribed by Congress, under the provisions of

Sixth. We shall oppose, now and hereafter, any "union of Church and State," no matter what class of religionists shall seek to bring about such union.

Seventh. We shall vigorously maintain the

nested rights of all persons, of native or foreign birth, and shall at all times oppose the slightest interference with such vested rights.

Eighth. We shall oppose and protest against all abridgment of religious liberty, holding it as a cardinal maxim, that religious faith is a question between each individual and his God,

doctrines, by which the constitution is to be set at nought, violated, or disregarded, whether by politicians, by religionists, or by the adherents or followers of either, or by any other class of

persons.

Tenth. We shall maintain and defend the constitution as it stands, the Union as it exists, and the rights of the States, without diminution as guaranteed thereby: opposing at all times, and to the extent of our ability and influence, all who may assail them, or either of

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The following preamble and resolutions, adopted at a mass meeting of the citizens of Washington, on the 27th day of September isst, present the general sentiments of the "American party" in this city, and will doubtless be read with interest by the friends of American principles throughout the country,

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"Sam" has nominated "by and with the consent of the people of Virginia," a ticket which seems to have met the unaninous approval of his companions and confederates.

If the American party shall make as judicious and patriotic an exercise of their power in every other section of the Union as they have done in nominating Thomas S. Flournoy, J. M. H. Beale, and John M. Patton, as Governor, Lieutenant-Governor, and Attorney-General, of Virginia, we may uplift our hands and hail them as the redeemers of the land from the curse of party bondage.

Mr. Flournoy has been little in public life, and is chiefly distinguished in politics for having represented a Democratic constituency in Congress, although a gallant and efficient Whig.

The opinions of Mr. Flournoy upon measures of State policy are sound. He is an carnest friend of a rational and progressive improvement, in education, agriculture, and the facilities of intercourse. He is, besides, a true friend to the Union of the States, and to the rights of the States and people who compose it. Under his administration the honor and interests of Virginia will be safe, and respected. With cloquence and ability of a rare power, with sound political sentiments and unstained personal honor, we know none amongst the many unexceptionable names, which we understood to have been submitted to the American order, which will meet our more cordial approval.

The nominee for the Lieutenancy is a gentleman of excellent sense and unexceptionable character, a member of Congress rather intent upon serving his constituency than himself, rather contining himself within the sphere of his duties than aspiring to waste the public time or weary the public ear with Irrelevant speeches. He had retired from Congress with the respect of all, and would carry into the position for which he has been nominated, the character of an honest, judicious, and excellent man.

of Mr. Patton, we can only say that he is a mane of honor, and a lawyer of high ability. Often opposed to him in politics, and often surprised at his mutability of party associations, it gives us pleasure to think that we have never said or thought anything of him inconsistent with the qualities of mind and character which we have here attributed to him. But we hail the nomination of Mr. Patton for the invariable good luck which has attended him. Mr. Patton has always won, no matter out which hand he may have made his political bet. He can "confute, change hands, and still confute," so that we regard his nomination as an augury not to be contradicted. The Americans have wisely assigned him the office of Attorney General, and as such he will prove an able and efficient representative of the public interests. Besides, the constancy of an attorney is a matter of but little importance. Of Mr. Patton, we can only say that he is a

bination of the two great political parties, which have so long distracted an excellent people for the mere purpose of determining what men in New York should govern the United States. It bestows one office on an ex-Whig, and two upon ex-

mere purpose of determining what men in New York should govern the United States. It bestows one office on an ex-Whig, and two upon ex-Democrats. It will determine that perpetual condict, which has been directed like an issue out of chancery, to be tried by the verdict of a people in no wise interested in its result. And it will take from the hands of a set of gentlemen bearing the convenient name, and covered with the expansive mantle of Democracy, the offices which they have begun to believe were theirs by the double title of inheritance and proscription. This ticket dislocates all these ideas of political primogeniture, and will convince all aspirants that henceforth the offices of this old Commonwealth will be bestowed as a reward of merit, and not as a certificate of party fealty and intolerance.

With every hope for the success of this impartial and unexceptionable ticket, we shall take care to eurol ourselves amongst its advocates, and with the permission of our more immediate patrons, will address ourselves to the benefit of some of our subscribers in Eastern and Northwestern Virginia. This will, indeed, require no spology. The progress and purposes of the American order are of the deepest possible interest to the people—not only of Maryland, but of the whole Union. We consider their success essential to the purification of the political atmosphere of the country. We are satisfied that with such obviously honest and patriotic purposes, they can never league with or recognise agitators, or disunionists, and we shall strike for the Virginia American ticket with a sincere good will, and with all the zeal of our nature.

From the Frankfort (Ky.) Commonwealth.

Democratic Repudintion of the Resolutions of the Democratic State Convention.

tion.

We have received from Dr. Samuel L. Marshall, editor of the Maywille Express—one of the ablest Democratic organs in the State—the following letter, and cheerfully comply with his request to the complex of the

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for themselves.
Yours, &c.,
SAMUEL L. MARSHALL.
We have known for some time that elements of dissatisfaction and disgust with the miserable administration at Washington, pervaded a large portion of the Democratic party of this State. This letter is one of the many recent indications that those elements have now acquired a power and concentration which forbids any further ignoring of their existence. The members of the party who have become utterly sickened with the proceedings of the President and his Cabinet, are numerous, talented, and generally full of energy. They are determined to be heard and respected. They were numerous in the convention that has just adjourned—there being, as we are informed upon the most reliable authority, no less than sinety odd delegates whose sentiments were substantially the same that Dr. Marshall has expressed in the above letter. They had not quite the numerical force to control the body, and did not show themselves fully in any public vote, but they were leared everywhere; and they are now the subject of fearful apprehension for the future, to all those of the party who look merely to success and spoils.

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